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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 3, 2005, Applicant hereby elects and requests examination on the merits of claims 15 – 17, subject to the traversal of the restriction requirement as argued below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.